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TAGS: MILI

SUBJECT: STAR TRON SCOPES

REF: PARIS 4151 AND PREVIOUS.

1. WASHINGTON REP. SMITH AND WESSON INFORMS US THAT 50 MARK 303 NIGHT VISION DEVICES EXPORTED TO REGIE MONCEAU APPLICATIONS ELECTRIQUES EARLIER THIS YEAR HAVE NOW BEEN RETURNED TO U.S. ACCORDING SMITH AND WESSON (AND CONFIRMED IN REFTEL), MONCEAU WAS UNABLE TO HAVE DEVICES CLEARED THROUGH FRENCH CUSTOMS, THUS HAVING NO STORAGE FACILITIES AVAILABLE IN EUROPE MONCEAU SHIPPED THEM FOR WAREHOUSING WITH DUMONT SHIPPING COMPANY, JFK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, N.Y.

2. AS S AND W/MONCEAU SALE WAS CONSUMATED, AND EXPORT EFFECTED UNDER LICENSE APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT, SMITH AND WESSON NOW IS OUT OF PICTURE ENTIRELY. EMBASSY, THEREFORE, REQUESTED INFORM MONCEAU THAT IF THEY INTEND TO TAKE OR REMOVE DEVICES FROM U.S. THERE WOULD BE INVOLVED ANOTHER EXPORT AND DEPARTMENT LICENSE WILL AGAIN BE REQUIRED. FURTHER, EMBASSY SHOULD MAKE CLEAR TO MONCEAU THAT
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DEPARTMENT DOES NOT ACCEPT EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATIONS FROM

PERSONS (JURIDICAL OR OTHERWISE) OUTSIDE U.S. THESE

APPLICATIONS ARE APPROVED FOR ONLY MANUFACTURERS OR
EXPORTERS IN U.S. REGISTERED WITH US UNDER 22 CFR 122
(10 FAM 750 APPENDIX A).

3. WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION RESPONSE FROM MONCEAU.
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